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Honorable  
Magistrate Judge James Larson  
United States District Court  
Northern District of California  
San Francisco Division  
450 Golden Gate Avenue, 18<sup>th</sup> Floor  
San Francisco, California 94102



Re: *Nevis v. Wells Fargo Bank, et al.*  
U.S. District Court Court Case No. C07-2568  
REQUEST FOR TELEPHONIC APPEARANCE AT SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE  
BY REPRESENTATIVE OF DEFENDANT GATEWAY TITLE COMPANY  
Settlement Conference Date: June 24, 2008 @ 10:00 a.m.

Dear Judge Larson:

Pursuant to the Notice of Settlement Conference Order, this letter is sent to request permission for Defendant GATEWAY TITLE COMPANY's representative to appear telephonically at the settlement conference scheduled in this matter on June 24, 2008. Gateway Title Company's representative is located in Southern California and the amount of time necessary to travel this distance to the attend the conference in person creates a hardship.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Helen V. Powers

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